## Before the FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Washington, D. C. 20554

In the matter of )	
Amendment of Section 73.202 (b), )	MB Docket No
Table of Allotments )	<del></del>
FM Broadcast Stations )	RM
(Kerman, California)	<del></del>

## **PETITION FOR RULEMAKING**

To the Chief, Allocations Branch:

- Linda A. Davidson ("Petitioner") respectfully requests the Commission initiate a rulemaking proceeding for the purpose of considering amending Section 73.202(b) of the Commission's rules. In support whereof the following is stated:
- Petitioner proposes the Commission allot FM channel 224A to Kerman, California as its third commercial FM service. This would require amending Section 73.202(b) of the Commission's rules as follows:

**Proposed** Community Kerman, CA

- Kerman is an incorporated city located in central California. It is located in Fresno county. In 2000, the United States Census Bureau estimated Kerman had a population of 8551 persons.
- FM channel 224A can be assigned to Kerman in full compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements. This is illustrated in the attached spacing study. Coordinates used are N 36:40:41, W 120:12:11 and are located approximately 12 Km SW of Kerman. This site restriction is necessary to prevent short spacings with stations KZFO, Clovis, CA, KMJO, Marina, CA and KFSO-FM, Visalia, CA. Petitioner is confident she can find a suitable transmitter site for this allotment if it is assigned as proposed.
- Petitioner, or an entity with which she is affiliated, intends to apply for a construction permit to activate channel 224A if it is assigned to Kerman as proposed. If her application is granted, she shall promptly construct and operate the proposed station.
- Petitioner hereby verifies and affirms that the statements given in this petition for rulemaking are hers, and are accurate to the best of her knowledge.

Respectfully submitted,

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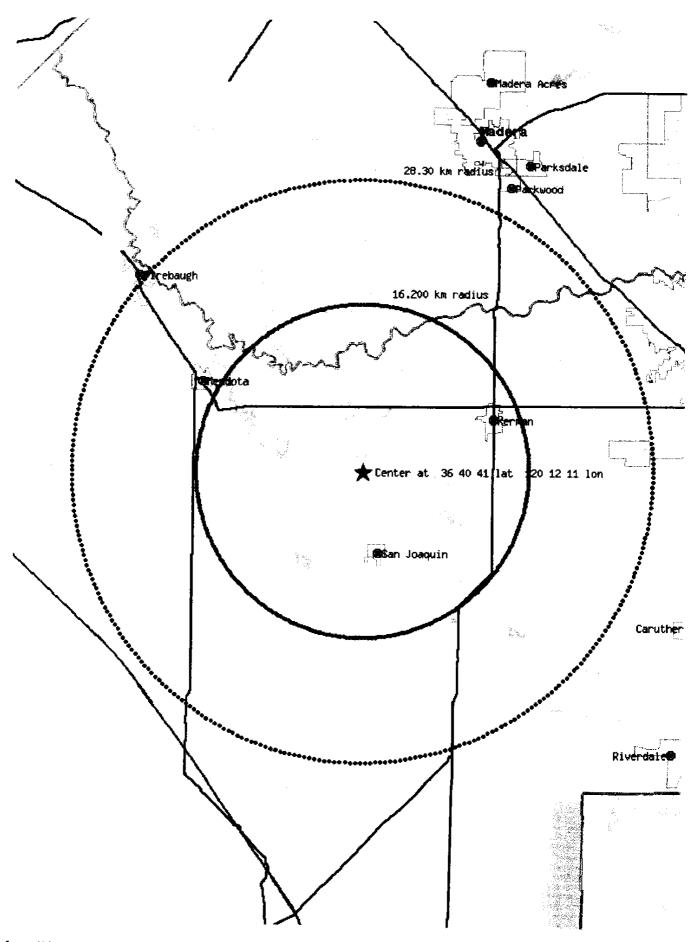
## 224A Kerman, CA

FM spacing study channel 224A, Kerman, CA at coordinates: N 36:40:41, W 120:12:11

CHAN	FREQ	CALL	LOCATION			DIST	REQ	CLEAR
221B	92.1	KZFO	CLOVIS	CA	US	69	69	0
222B	92.3	KSJ0	SAN JOSE	CA	US	152	69	83
223B	92.5	KDAY	INDEPENDENCE	CA	บร	189	113	76
2238	92.5	KWSR	PASO ROBLES	CA	US	152	113	39
223A	92.5	KBRE	ATWATER	CA	US	76	72	4
224B1	92.7	KZIQ-FM	RIDGECREST	CA	บร	262	143	119
224A	92.7	KZSQ-FM	SONORA	CA	US	148	115	33
224B1	92.7	KMJO	MARINA	CA	US	143	143	0
224A	92.7	KPTI	ALAMEDA	CA	US	232	115	117
225B	92.9	KFSO-FM	VISALIA	CA	US	113	113	0
226B	93.1	KOSO	PATTERSON	CA	US	146	69	77
227B	93.3	KZOZ	SAN LUIS OBISPO	CA	US	152	69	83
227B	93.3	KRHV	BIG PINE	CA	US	189	69	120
227A	93.3	KNTO	CHOWCHILLA	CA	US	60	31	29

## Notes:

All distances are in kilometers. Only stations clearing by less that 125 Km are shown.



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